

REMARKS

Claims 1-2, 4-6, 13-14 and 17-18 are pending in the application. Claims 3, 7-12, 15-16 and 19-22 have been canceled. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

In the outstanding Office Action, claims 7-8 and 10 -12 and 15-16 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. Section 101(a) as being directed to non-statutory subject matter and claims 1-2, 4-6, 13-14 and 17 -18 were indicated as allowed.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-2, 4-6, 13-14 and 17 -18 were indicated as allowed. To that end, claims 3, 7-12, 15-16 and 19-22 all have been canceled so that only the allowed claims 1-2, 4-6, 13-14 and 17 -18 remain in the application. As a result, it is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Conclusions

In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes the application is in condition for allowance and favorable reconsideration is requested. If a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 22051-00002-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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